

Clear Channel Communications needs to be held accountable for the dangerous and misplaced "humor" advocating that motorists harm bicyclists on their North Carolina station G105 morning show. They failed to publicly apologize, instead airing a "spoof" of an apology, further exacerbating the anti-cyclist sentiment of some road raging motorists. As a dual state (NC and Iowa) resident and a US Olympic caliber professional cyclist, I travel all over the USA training and racing my bike and can say that motorist and law enforcement ignorance of the law regarding cyclists on the road is reaching an all time high. Please keep in mind that the actions of G105 radio DJ's was not only in poor taste but quite probably criminal in nature. Environmentally friendly, traffic congestion reducing, and healthy bicycling is becoming so dangerous in America relative to other advanced nations such as those in Europe that the rights of Americans to use a bicycle are being impinged upon. Please do what is right and punish Clear Channel Communications for their callous use of this controversy towards their own ideas of "any publicity is good publicity". Thank you.